

RANKIN, HILL, PORTER & CLARK LLP



ATTORNEYS AT LAW
4080 ERIE STREET
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO 44094-7836
E-mail: spaw@rankinhill.com

(216) 566-9700 FAX (216) 566-9711 www.rankinhill.com

June 10, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Certificate
JUN 1 7 2005

Re:

U.S. Patent Application for Correction

"METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE PACKAGING

OF FLAT OBJECTS"

Serial No. 10/719902; Filed November 21, 2003

Patent No. 6883294; Issued April 26, 2005

First Named Inventor: Walter Reist Our Reference No. FRR-15078

Dear Sir/Madam:

A Certificate of Correction under 35 U.S.C. 254 is hereby requested to correct Patent Office printing errors in the above-identified patent. Enclosed herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction (Form No. PTO/SB/44) for consideration.

It is requested that the Certificate of Correction be completed and mailed at an early date to the undersigned attorney of record. The proposed corrections are obvious ones and do not in any way change the sense of the application.

We understand that a check is not required since the errors were on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office in printing the patent.

Very truly yours,

David E. Spaw, Reg. No. 34732

DES:ljm Enclosure Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. (Also Form PTO-1050)

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,883,294

DATED

: April 26, 2005

INVENTOR(S) : Reist

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 10, Line 45, (Claim 6, Line 8), after "(7)", insert --into rotating conveying--.

Column 10, Line 46, (Claim 6, Line 9), after "closed", insert --side--.

Column 10, Line 58, (Claim 6, Line 21), after "side", insert --and--.

Column 11, Line 22, (Claim 9, Line 8), delete "that have" and insert --and supplying said bags into rotating conveying compartments (3), each bag of said string of bags having--.

MAILING ADDRESS OF SENDER:

PATENT NO.

6,883,294

David E. Spaw Rankin, Hill, Porter & Clark, LLP 4080 Erie Street Willoughby, Ohio 44094

No. of additional copies

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.322, 1.323, and 1.324. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Attention Certificate of Corrections Branch, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.